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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on May 19, 2003, please amend the
above-referenced application as follows.

If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, Applicants
request that this be considered a petition therefor. The Director is hereby authorized to
charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account 07-0868.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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